

EMMANUEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT



## THE RISE 'N' TIMES

## SNEAK PEEK INTO OUR NEXT EVENT

Due to current renovation efforts, the Women's Department has reluctantly postponed its remaining events for the year (e.g., October Overnight Shut-In and November Day Retreat). We share your disappointment, but we are already diligently planning to convene both events in the new year. Stay tuned for forthcoming details.

But don't fret, the Women's Department will be supporting our pastor in the following upcoming church-wide events and hope you will join us:

- Thanksgiving Community Service*

On November 27, 2024, Emmanuel is supporting the Union Rescue Mission's long standing community outreach efforts and feeding the homeless for the holidays! Volunteer opportunities are available for ages 14 and up. For all those who are interested in serving the community, you can sign up in person beginning on November 3rd after church service. Let's serve our community together.

- Winter Revival*

A One-Night revival is happening at Emmanuel COGIC!! On Friday night, December 6th at 7pm, Pastor Latoya Brewington, of Rhema Word Christian Center is the speaker of the hour. A powerhouse preacher is coming all the way from North Carolina and you don't want to miss her!

- Watch Night Service*

Emmanuel will be hosting its first watch night service in over two decades. On December 31st at 10 p.m. join us for an evening of praise, worship, prayer and an anointed word. The dynamic preacher from Mount Moriah Baptist Church, Pastor Johnteris Tate, will be our guest speaker. Miracles are happening on 33rd Street.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Fun facts about Rachel

- Was the daughter of Laban described in scripture as beautiful of form and appearance.
- Was a shepherdess responsible for taking the flock out to pasture.
- Was the love of Jacob's life, but he was forced to marry her sister Leah, before he could marry her.
- Was barren and her primary remedy for infertility in antiquity was prayer. Rachel was a prayer warrior.
- God heard Rachel's prayer and blessed her to have children. And Rachel said, "God has taken away my shame."

## F.Y.I

For Your Inspiration

"We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore, is not an act, but a habit."  
~ Aristotle

Upcoming 2024 Events

- Feb. 24th- 11am  
Chat & Chew  
Love Edition  
Color: Red  
(We did it!)
- Apr. 28th-11am  
Women's Day  
Color: Pink  
(We did it!)
- July 27th - 10am  
Walkathon  
Cancer CAN'T but God CAN (PoWER Walk)  
(We did it!)
- Can't stop, won't stop trusting God (Overnight Shut-In)  
( Postponed)
- Day Retreat  
I C.A.N.  
(I'm Calm And Nourished)  
( Postponed)

# Spotlight

## WORD ON THE CURB: GET TO KNOW THE LADIES OF EMMANUEL

### JANIS NELSON

My name is Janis Nelson. My profession is Legal Assistant. I have been a member of Emmanuel COGIC since November 2023 and I serve as a licensed Evangelist Missionary.

“Word on the Curb” is that although I am employed full-time by a prestigious Century City law firm where I serve alongside leading legalists, in ministry I move beyond the laws of man to serve alongside faith and grace.



### ASHLEY FRANKLIN

My name is Ashley Franklin. My job is Vice President of Branch Operations for the 4th largest Credit Union in the nation, SchoolsFirst Federal Credit Union. I have been a Member of Emmanuel Church of God in Christ since September 2021.

“Word on the curb” is I am a huge sports fan! My favorite team is the Lakers! I want to be like my daughters when I grow up. My girls are pretty awesome! I love classical music, Beethoven Sonata No14 is my favorite, and back when I was a tween I used to be a church musician!





# BOOKS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT WORD SCRAMBLE

## Books of the Old Testament Word Scramble

1. XOEUDS: \_\_\_\_\_
2. EINEGSS: \_\_\_\_\_
3. TICLEVUIS: \_\_\_\_\_
4. EAEHNIMH: \_\_\_\_\_
5. HTSREE: \_\_\_\_\_
6. CTSESEECLIAS: \_\_\_\_\_
7. ASIIASH: \_\_\_\_\_
8. SUOHJA: \_\_\_\_\_
9. ICAMH: \_\_\_\_\_
10. IODBAAH: \_\_\_\_\_
11. EPIZNHHAA: \_\_\_\_\_
12. GAGAH: \_\_\_\_\_
13. ZEAR: \_\_\_\_\_
14. BUMRNES: \_\_\_\_\_
15. OUMENOETDRY: \_\_\_\_\_
16. HUTR: \_\_\_\_\_



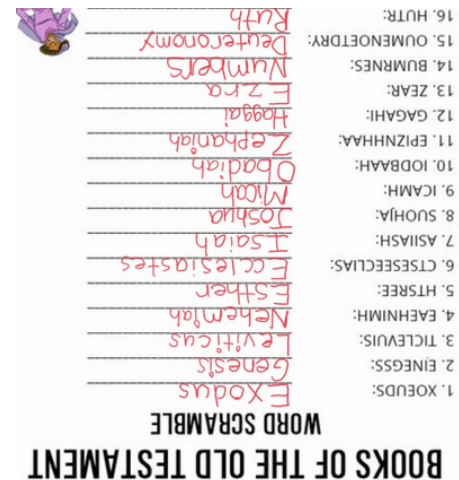
### WHAT THE WOMEN HAVE BEEN UP TO...

### ANSWER KEY

On July 27, 2024, the Women's Department hosted its second biennial PoWER Walk! Emmanuel Women's Department- Business & Professional Women did it again and planned another successful walkathon at Kenneth Hahn Park. This year's theme was Cancer Can't but God CAN and it was dedicated to all those affected by cancer.

The occasion was jammed packed with plenty of walking, powerful testimonies, insightful information from Dr. Dotun Ogunyemi of King Drew Medical Center and lots of fun, fellowship and gifts. The greatest moment of all was the opportunity to fellowship while exercising with our Emmanuel family and friends.

This event was also a fundraiser, and donations will not only help to offset costs to build an ADA ramp for the Crouch Memorial Hall but it also provided us an opportunity to support, monetarily, cancer research initiatives. When Emmanuel women come together, we are unstoppable and can do all things through Christ who strengthens us.



The Women's Department would like to wish you all a safe and happy holiday season!